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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

**MAIL STOP: SEQUENCE**

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Group Art Unit: Unknown

Application No.: 10/500,646

Examiner: Unknown

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For: METHOD FOR THE DETECTION AND/OR IDENTIFICATION OF THE ORIGINAL  
ANIMAL SPECIES IN ANIMAL MATTER CONTAINED IN A SAMPLE

**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification; and**

**Remarks.**